

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION K-12

SENATE AMENDMENTS TO S.B. 1443

(Reference to printed bill)

- 1 Page 2, line 20, after the period insert "NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER LAW,"
2 Line 21, after "ADJUSTMENT" insert "PURSUANT TO SECTION 15-949, ARIZONA REVISED
3 STATUTES,"
4 Line 23, after the comma insert "AND IF"
5 Line 24, after "DISTRICT" insert "NO LONGER QUALIFIES FOR THE SMALL SCHOOL
6 DISTRICT ADJUSTMENT, THEN THE NEW UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT"
7 Line 26, strike "THREE" insert "FOUR"
8 Line 27, after the period insert "THE AMOUNT OF THE SMALL SCHOOL DISTRICT
9 ADJUSTMENT IS DETERMINED AS FOLLOWS:
10 1. FOR THE FIRST YEAR THE NEW UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BECOMES
11 OPERATIONAL, THE AMOUNT THAT THE NEW UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY BUDGET IS
12 EQUAL TO THE SUM OF THE AMOUNTS THAT WAS BUDGETED IN THE FISCAL YEAR PRIOR TO
13 VOTER APPROVAL UNIFICATION BY THE SCHOOL DISTRICTS THAT QUALIFIED FOR THE
14 SMALL SCHOOL ADJUSTMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15-949, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES.
15 2. IN THE SECOND YEAR THE NEW UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BECOMES
16 OPERATIONAL, THE AMOUNT THAT THE NEW UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY BUDGET IS
17 EQUAL TO SEVENTY-FIVE PER CENT OF THE AMOUNT USED IN PARAGRAPH 1.
18 3. IN THE THIRD YEAR THE NEW UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BECOMES
19 OPERATIONAL, THE AMOUNT THAT THE NEW UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY BUDGET IS
20 EQUAL TO FIFTY PER CENT OF THE AMOUNT USED IN PARAGRAPH 1.
21 4. IN THE FOURTH YEAR THE NEW UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BECOMES
22 OPERATIONAL, THE AMOUNT THAT THE NEW UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY BUDGET IS
23 EQUAL TO TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT OF THE AMOUNT USED IN PARAGRAPH 1.
24 F. IF A NEW UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGETS FOR THE SMALL SCHOOL
25 ADJUSTMENT PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION E OF THIS SECTION, THE AMOUNT SHALL BE
26 FUNDED BY A LEVY ON THE PRIMARY PROPERTY TAXES IN THE NEW UNIFIED SCHOOL
27 DISTRICT. THE PART OF THE PRIMARY TAX RATE SET TO FUND THE SMALL SCHOOL
28 DISTRICT ADJUSTMENT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTIONS D AND E OF THIS SECTION SHALL

- 1 NOT BE INCLUDED IN THE COMPUTATION OF ADDITIONAL STATE AID FOR EDUCATION AS
- 2 PRESCRIBED IN SECTION 15-972, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES.”
- 3 Amend title to conform

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